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TOPIC Soviet Motor Transport Unit in Vetschau

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On 23 July 1951, Soviet Motor Transport Unit        was located in a special 50X1-HUM section of the nationalized LOM vehicle and machinery building plant in Vetschau (N 52/A 37). The unit had about 500 officers and EM and was equipped with 80 trucks and 7 sedans. All troops observed wore a motor transport insignia.       

       The production engineer of the plant stated that the unit had not been engaged in motor transport operations recently. \*

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\*        Comment. The LOM plant is known to house a tank repair shop. The preparation of low wooden buildings in the plant area for quartering troops was reported on 20 March 1951. The present report therefore gains in probability, although the vehicle        are mentioned for the first time.

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